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To: Delta Protection Commission

From: Margit Aramburu, Executive Director

Subject: Volunteer to Serve on Panel for "Delta Dredging and Reuse Strategy"

In 1998, CALFED approved a "directed action"; a study of dredging in the Delta and the reuse of that dredged material for uses such as levee maintenance and creation of wetland habitats. [Contact staff for a copy of the Scope of Services.] The \$500,000, two-year long project includes participation by three agencies: Department of Fish and Game, Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board and Delta Protection Commission. The project will be overseen by a Technical Advisory Panel, made up of 13 members:

- Department of Fish and Game
- Department of Water Resources
- Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board
- Corps of Engineers
- U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
- Delta Protection Commission
- U.S. Geological Survey
- San Francisco Bay Institute
- Ecologist from Academic Community
- Environmental Engineering Consultant
- Environmental Interest
- Local Government
- Levee Maintenance District

This memo requests Commissioners who are interested in representing the Commission to submit an indication of interest. Meetings will be approximately once a month for two years starting in July, 1999. Meetings will likely be in Sacramento and would be approximately half a day. Travel expenses can be reimbursed. The Commission will appoint a representative at the May 27, 1999 meeting.

Yes, I am interested in serving on the Technical Advisory Panel for the Delta Dredging and Reuse Strategy Study. I understand the Commission will make a final decision on the Commission's representative at the May 27, 1999 Delta Protection Commission meeting.

Fax the completed form to Delta Protection Commission at (916) 776-2293 or mail to P.O. Box 530, Walnut Grove, CA 95690 as soon as possible.

I have the following suggestions for the following seats on the Technical Advisory Panel:

Ecologist from Academic Community: _____

Environmental Engineering Consultant: _____

Environmental Interest: _____

Local Government: _____

Levee Maintenance District: _____
